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Applicants: Alain YANG, et al.

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TEXTILE FIBERS AND OF ROTARY AND/OR
FLAME ATTENUATED FIBERS, AND PROCESS
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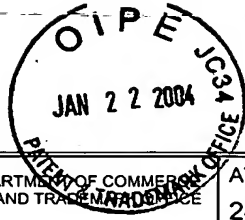
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